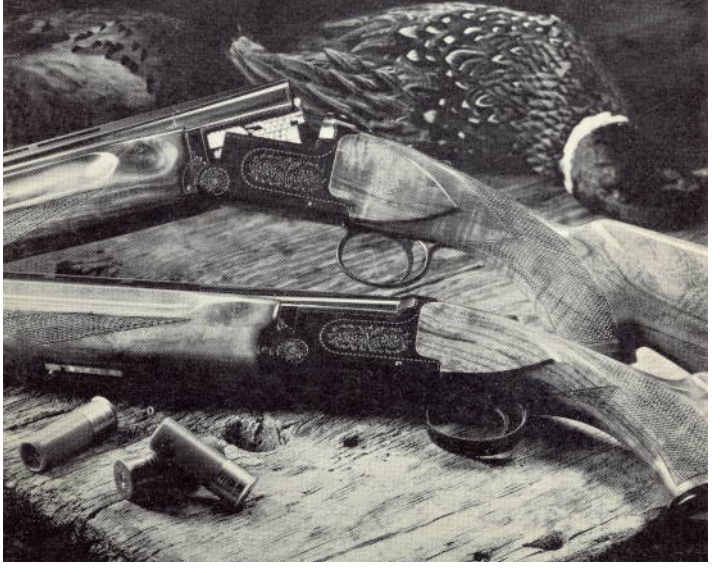
Weatherby OLYMPIAN OVER/UNDER SHOTGUN

INSTRUCTION MANUAL AND WARRANTY



Welcome to the growing family of hunters who have chosen the Weatherby Olympian. You will discover that a Weatherby is not just a purchase but an investment; an investment in the success of all your future hunting. You have, in a Weatherby, a shotgun of outstanding excellence and reliability. Treat it with the normal care you give any of your cherished possessions and it will reward you with a lifetime of service and pleasure.

To make sure your Weatherby Factory Warranty goes on file promptly, fill out the warranty card attached and mail it within 10 days. Good hunting!

Roy E. Weatherby

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Weatherby New Gun Ownership Record
Keep this record for future reference

Weatherby Model Olympian
Serial Number_____
Dealer_____
Date of Purchase_____

DIRECTIONS FOR ASSEMBLY

Before assembly, make sure there are no shells or obstructions in the barrels, and that all parts are free of dirt and excess oil.

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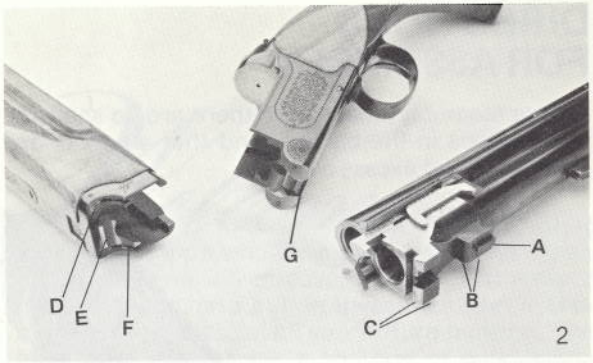
First, remove the forearm by pulling the forearm release latch located on the underside of the forearm and pivot the front of the forearm away from the barrels. (Fig. 1) If the gun is dry, put one or two drops of gun oil on (A) lug recess of the forward barrel lug, (B-C) all sides of both barrel lugs, and at (D,E,F) end of forearm bracket. (Fig. 2)



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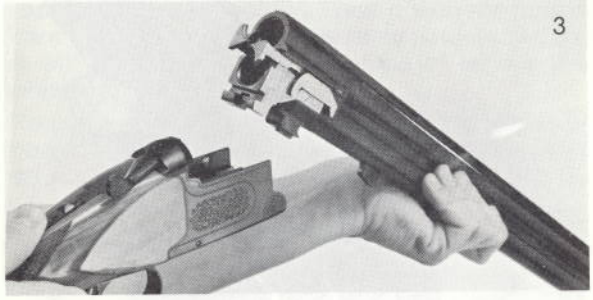
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To attach the barrels to the receiver, grasp the receiver at the pistol grip and tuck the butt section between your body and arm just above the waist. Grasp the barrels with the other hand above the forearm lug. (Fig. 3) Hook the barrel lug recess (A) over the hinge-pin (G, Fig. 2) in the front of the receiver, and pivot the rear of the barrels into the receiver by lifting sharply on the barrels.

Caution—this is a precision fit. If binding is felt—stop, and start again. When the barrels are locked in place, the top lever will automatically move to center.

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To attach the forearm to the barrels, hold the gun at the barrels with the butt of the stock resting on your thigh with the trigger guard up. Engage the rear of the forearm at the front of the receiver and pivot it into place, then snap the forearm release closed. (Fig. 4)

DIRECTIONS FOR DISASSEMBLY

First check to make sure that the chambers are clear! Rest the stock butt on the thigh with the trigger guard up and while cradling the barrels in one hand, pull the forearm release latch and pivot

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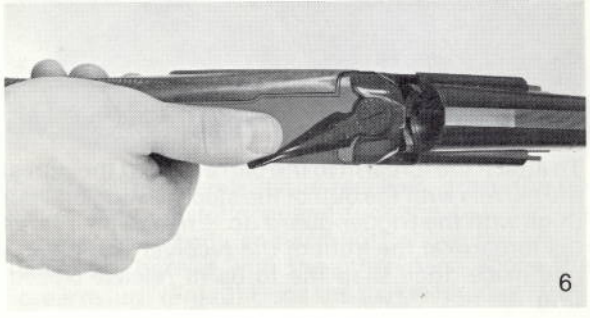

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the forearm away from the barrels. (Fig. 5) To remove the barrels, grasp the stock at the pistol grip and place the butt section under your arm against your body. Grasp the barrels in the other hand. Push the top lever to the right (Fig. 6) and pivot the barrels down until they disengage from the receiver. (Fig.7)

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For storage, the forearm may be reattached to the barrels when disassembled. Place the rear of the forearm in the position it would normally be for assembly and pivot toward the barrels and lock in place. Snap the release lever closed.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

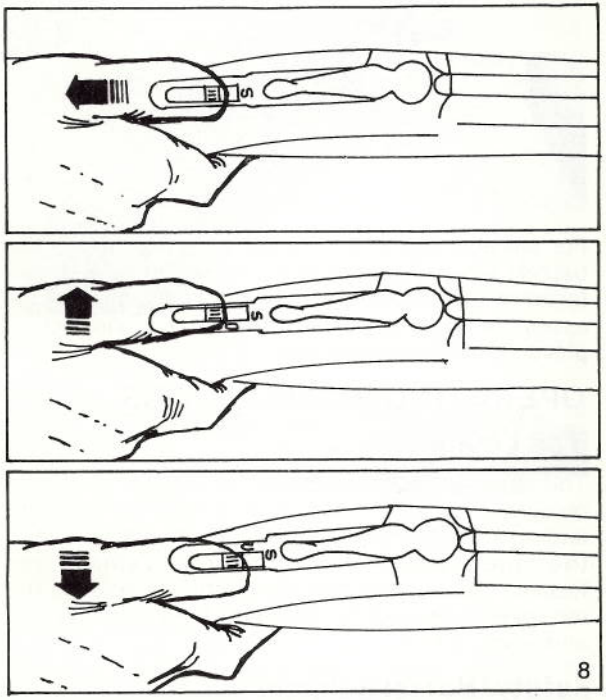
Top Lever

The top lever locks the breech of the barrels to the receiver. To open, move the top lever to the right and push the barrels down. The lever will remain in the "open" position until the gun is closed and locked. Closing the gun automatically returns the top lever to the center position; the gun is cocked and ready to fire.

Safety/Barrel Selector

Located on the top tang for easy reach is the safety/barrel selector. (Fig. 8) Push the lever rearward for "SAFE" and an "S" will apear. Push the lever forward to take the gun "off safe"—covering the "S." To select the barrel that is to be

fired first, put safety lever on "SAFE," then push the selector to the left for the over barrel and to the right for the under barrel. When the selector is in position for the over barrel an "O" will appear—when in position for the under barrel a "U" will appear.



A mechanical switchover in the selective trigger system gives you second-shot reliability because recoil is not required to activate the second shot. In case of misfire because of a defective shell, pull the trigger again—the second barrel will fire.

Automatic Ejectors

The Olympian ejectors automatically eject only the fired cases and partially extract the unfired cases for easy removal if desired.

Receiver

The Weatherby Olympian receiver is designed for strength and durability. It is machined from one piece of forged steel, including the tangs, with a full cross-pin hinge. The locks are "box lock" design with coil mainsprings for greater reliability.

Barrels

The Weatherby Olympian has special heat treated chrome moly steel barrels with monobloc construction for maximum strength. For smoother functioning, the monobloc and ejectors have been jeweled to a highly polished finish. Barrels are fitted with a ventilated rib with fine matting to reduce glare, and exposed metal surfaces are deeply blued for lasting beauty.

Chokes

The choke markings are located on the left side of the barrels near the breech under the forearm. They are marked as follows: Full

Imp. Mod.

Mod.

Imp. Cyld.

Skeet

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND SUGGESTIONS

Cleaning

Periodically clean the bore with good cleaning equipment and oil all metal surfaces with a light coat of oil. Never pour oil into the receiver. Make sure that the mating surfaces of the breech block and receiver are especially clean and lightly oiled for proper fit and locking.

Ammunition

Before loading, always visually check that the safety is on "SAFE" position.

The Olympian 12 ga. field, skeet and trap models are chambered to accept all standard factory 12 ga. 2¾" and 2¾" magnum shells. Only the 30" 12 ga. barrels in full and modified chokes (field models) are chambered for 3" magnum shells.

All Olympian 20 ga. shotguns, field and skeet are chambered for 3" magnum and will accept both 3" and 2¾" shells.

Caution—see markings on the left side of the barrels! Those barrels marked for 3" magnum may also use 2¾" shells; 3" shells should never be used in guns marked for 2¾" chambers. Never put a 20 ga. shell in a 12 ga. gun—this could cause the barrel to rupture if fired.

The accidental chambering and discharge of shells of the wrong gauge will damage your gun. As a precautionary measure, carry only the proper gauge ammunition with you in the field.

Extra Sets of Barrels

In the future you may wish to add extra sets of barrels to your Olympian. This can be done by sending your gun to the Weatherby factory for proper fitting. You may select any of the following barrel combinations:

Gauges	12 ga.	20 ga.	12 ga. Trap (20 ga. not avail.)
Barrel Lengths & Chokes	30" F/M 28" F/M, M/IC, S/S 26" M/IC, S/S	28" F/M, M/IC, S/S 26" F/M, M/IC, S/S	32" F/M, F/IM 30" F/M, F/IM

Please write for prices and delivery time.

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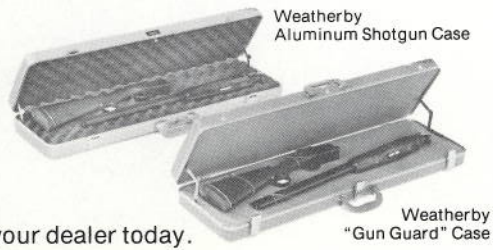
Finest protection for your firearms on the market. This case has a brushed aluminum anodized finish, a full length piano hinge, two latches, heavy-duty lock and a luggage style handle. The fully lined interior features convoluted polyurethane foam to improve shock resistance and is fully sealed with a rubber gasket for protection against moisture and dust. Dimensions: 10½" x 36½" x 4"

Weatherby "Gun Guard" Case

Designed to provide absolute protection for your shotguns, our Gun Guard case is constructed of heavy-duty, high impact styrene with a thick polyurethane foam lining. This lightweight case is available in a tan leather-like finish with luggage type handles and locks. Holds any type of take-down shotgun. Dimensions: take-down shotgun model—10½"x 36½"x 3½"



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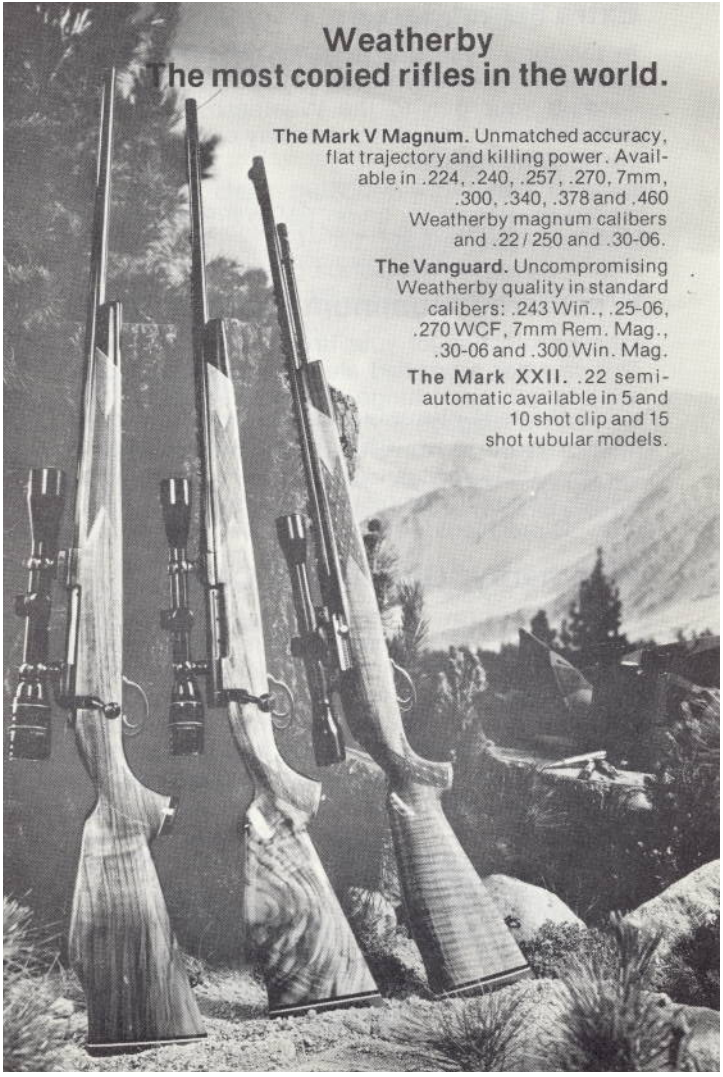
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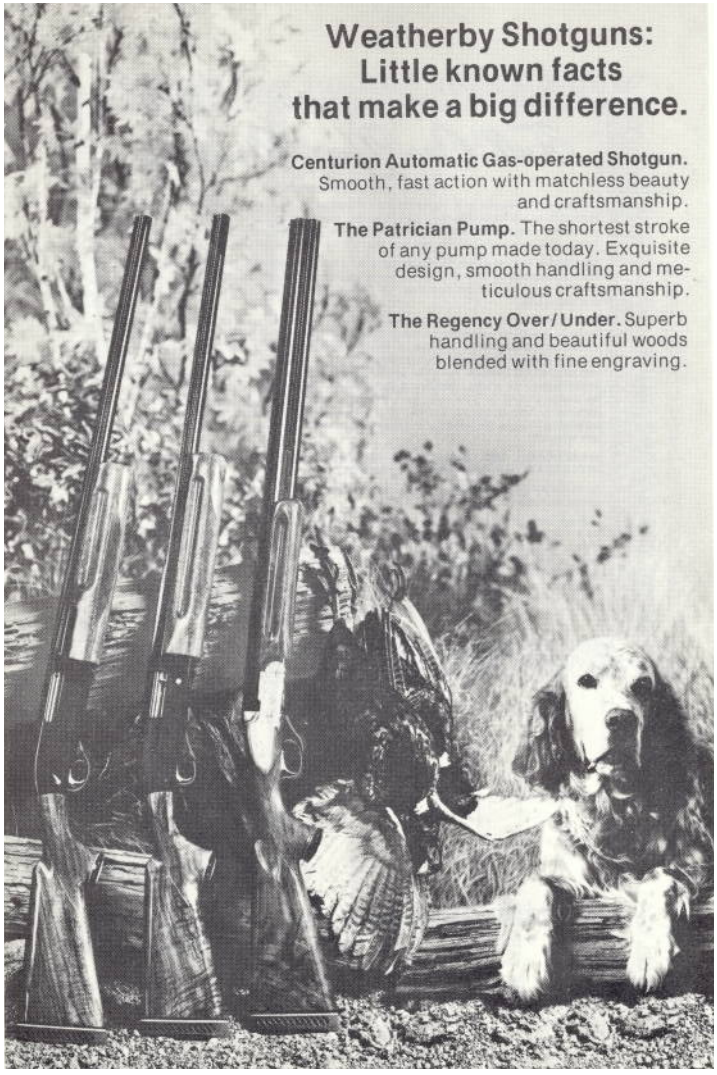
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Little known facts
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Full One Year Warranty

WEATHERBY FIREARMS

Weatherby firearms are warranted by Weatherby, Inc. to be free of defects in materials or workmanship for a period of one year from the date of first purchase by a consumer. For the warranty to become effective, a warranty registration card must be completed and mailed to Weatherby, Inc. within ten days after purchase.

Weatherby, Inc. shall not be responsible for defects resulting from ordinary wear and tear, alterations by unauthorized persons, accident, misuse, use of incorrect or other than factory loaded ammunition, or failure to provide reasonable and normal maintenance.

Should any defect in original materials or workmanship appear during the warranty period, it will be remedied without charge to the owner, provided the firearm is delivered, transportation prepaid, to Weatherby, Inc. or any of its authorized service centers (names and addresses of which will be supplied by Weatherby, Inc. on request), and is deemed defective upon inspection by its gunsmiths. Firearms must be accompanied by a letter explaining the problem experienced, and should be insured by owner at time of shipment, as Weatherby, Inc. can accept no responsibility for damage or loss in transit. Weatherby, Inc. will pay all necessary transportation and insurance charges for return of the firearm to owner if it is accepted for service under this warranty.

WEATHERBY, INC. SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY CONSEQUENTIAL, INCIDENTAL OR CONTINGENT DAMAGES;

Some states do not allow the exclusion of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have others which vary from state to state. It was drafted to comply with Federal statutes and regulations effective December 31, 1976, and replaces and supersedes any other warranty which may be packaged with the firearm or which may be contained in any other printed instructional or informational materials.

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